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In re application of

Carl Jørgen RUMMELHOFF                      Conf. 5036

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APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR CONTROLLING TEMPERATURE  
IN A BOIL-OFF GAS

**RESPONSE**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents                      January 25, 2010  
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Sir:

                    This replies to the non-final Office Action mailed  
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